



Soldiers Theatre Wins International Awards

Thanks to a growing partnership between IMA-EURO and the American Association of Community Theater, you don't need a Hollywood agent or a multi-million dollar production budget to become an actor on the international stage.

Vicenza Soldiers Theatre recently performed "The Tolstoy Story Play" at the International Theatre Festival, sponsored by AACT at Texas' Midland Community Theatre. The troupe earned the right to represent the U.S. by taking first place at last October's annual IMA-EURO One Act Play Festival.

The performance was highly acclaimed by the local audiences and fellow international participants, including representative shows from Ireland, Spain, Monaco, Singapore, Catalonia, Native America, Germany, Syria, and Tunisia. While the festival was non-competitive, Soldiers Theatre was recognized with prestigious awards for Excellence as an Ensemble, as well as Excellence in Acting (Sgt. Michael Heyer), Directing (Karen Ebert), and Youth Performance (Jamie Kamiya).

The group members also participated in the nine free theatre skills workshops at the festival. Participation was jointly sponsored by IMA-EURO Entertainment and the Midland Community Theatre.